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NOTE:

[redacted] information indicating three Americans, possibly members of John Birch extremist group or Ku Klux Klan, were seeking to buy pistols, explosives, blasting caps, hand grenades and silencers. One of subjects, [redacted] reportedly was acting as agent for the Americans. Another subject reportedly sold hand grenades to [redacted] for delivery to the Americans. Still another subject is supposed to obtain an explosive material for delivery to [redacted] and still another subject supposedly sold [redacted] silencers to the Americans. ~~(S)~~ (U)

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One of the Americans reportedly was driving car which is registered to subject, Rosenthal, who has reputation of being gambler and hoodlum. Other subjects appear to be Cubans, some of whom have been involved in anti-Castro activities. While this data has been disseminated locally by Miami to the interested agencies including Customs and Alcohol and Tobacco Tax, it is felt that Secret Service should be apprised of the data and that [redacted]

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On 7/28/65 SAs [redacted] and GEORGE E. DAVIS, JR. conferred with [redacted] He was advised concerning the identity and significance of ROSENTHAL, along with the fact that ROSENTHAL is the subject of a current investigation by the Miami Office. [redacted] (U)

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Miami will also attempt to establish the identities of ROSENTHAL's two companions and ascertain whether he actually acquired any weapons or explosives and disposition of same (S) (U)

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Three Americans, identities unknown, believed to be members of a John Birch extremist group or the Ku Klux Klan, are seeking to buy pistols, explosives, blasting caps, hand grenades and silencers. [redacted] is acting as an agent for these three Americans. (S) (U)

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[redacted] who resides at [redacted] sold [redacted] hand grenades ("US, Mk. II") to [redacted] for delivery to the Americans. [redacted] received from [redacted] for the grenades, but delivered only [redacted] of them. Consequently, [redacted] asked [redacted] to go to [redacted] and either pick up the other [redacted] grenades or the [redacted] in cash which they represent. If [redacted] received any grenades from [redacted] he was instructed by [redacted] to deliver them to an attendant at a gasoline station located at [redacted] Street in Miami, [redacted] The attendant at this station was then supposed to give the grenades to [redacted] or to one of the Americans. (S) (U)

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An individual known as [redacted] is supposed to obtain [redacted] of pentolite, an explosive material, for delivery to [redacted] for [redacted] (S) (U)

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Another individual known as [redacted] sold [redacted] silencers to the Americans for [redacted] (S) (U)

The Americans were observed by MM T-1's source briefly talking to [redacted] The source described them as follows: (S) (U)

American #1: (S) (U)

Age	35-40
Height	6'1"
Weight	190
Hair	blond, thinning in front

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He appeared to be the boss, carried money for the group and disbursed it in $100 bills. He was driving a 1965 Oldsmobile 98, [redacted] four-door sedan bearing 1965 Florida license [redacted] (S) (U)

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American #2:

Age	about 45
Height	6'
Weight	200
Appearance	tough-looking
Hair	white

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The source believed him to be a friend of [redacted] and probably not a member of the sponsoring group, but perhaps a contact man between the group and [redacted] (S) (S) (U)

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American #3:

Height	short
Complexion	dark
Hair	curly
Eyes	wore glasses.

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MM T-1's source heard that the Americans were in the market for [redacted] silencers, contingent upon the [redacted] they bought from [redacted] being in good working order. However, the source did not believe this to be true. (S) (S) (U)

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MM T-1's source expressed the opinion that the Americans were naive in dealing with explosives and munitions and did not seem to know the fair price such items should cost. He also was of the opinion the Americans would not be around much more than a week or so. He based his opinion upon the fact that the volume of weapons which they were seeking are not available in South Florida at the present time. (S)(S) (U)

Re: Frank Lang "Lefty" Rosenthal

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Current Developments

Previous investigation reflects that [redacted] may be identical with [redacted] a Cuban exile, born [redacted] Cuba. As of 1963 he resided with [redacted] at [redacted] Miami. Previous investigation has reflected that [redacted] received military training under the Cuban Officers Training Program, and was honorably discharged from the United States Army on [redacted] 1964, as a [redacted] At that time he was residing at [redacted] Miami. b6 b7C

It appears that [redacted] may be identical with [redacted] also known as [redacted] Previous investigation has reflected this individual was born [redacted] at [redacted] Cuba. As of March, 1965 he resided at [redacted] Miami, [redacted] apartment. He arrived in the United States [redacted] 1963 from Cuba, seeking political asylum. He has been described as a fearless individual who is anti-Castro, although he formerly supported Castro. [redacted] b6 b7C

[redacted] is ~~undoubtedly~~ possibly identical with a person of the same name who was born [redacted] at [redacted] Cuba. Previous investigation has reflected this individual was in [redacted] camp operated in [redacted] Florida in the Summer of 1964 by an anti-Castro organization known as Junta Revolucionaria Cubana (JURE). He was allegedly involved in a plot headed by [redacted] a wealthy Guatemalan exile in Miami, to overthrow the present government of Guatemala. This plot was aborted in May, 1965 before it got under way. [redacted] resides at [redacted] Miami. b6 b7C

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[redacted] is ~~probably~~ possibly identical with [redacted] born [redacted] in Havana, Cuba. Previous investigation reflects this individual was also recruited to participate in the plot, above mentioned, to overthrow the Guatemalan Government. As of July, 1964, he resided at [redacted] Miami. He served in the United States Army in [redacted] and had ASN [redacted] (S) (U)

[redacted] is ~~probably~~ possibly identical with [redacted] also known as [redacted] and [redacted] This individual was born [redacted] at [redacted] Cuba and presently resides at [redacted] Miami. He formerly was [redacted] in the rebel army of Fidel Castro, but came to Miami as a "barbudo" shortly after establishment of the Castro government, and began to engage in anti-Castro activities.

On July 27, 1965, it was ascertained at the Dade County Auto License Bureau that 1965 Florida license [redacted] is registered to [redacted] North Miami, for a 1964 Oldsmobile.

Previous investigation has reflected that [redacted] of Frank Lang "Lefty" Rosenthal, who resides at the above address and is known to habitually drive the above-described automobile, which is [redacted] in color. Rosenthal is a sports handicapper for the Multiple Sports News Service, 1090 Northeast 79th Street, Miami. He has the reputation of being a gambler and hoodlum. Investigation has reflected he is a close friend and associate of leading hoodlums and jewel thieves in the Miami area. He came to Miami from Chicago and maintains close contact with leading gamblers and hoodlums in the Chicago area:

The following is a description of Rosenthal:

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Re: Frank Lang "Lefty" Rosenthal

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Birth date	June 12, 1929
Birthplace	Chicago, Illinois
Race	white
Sex	male
Height	6'2"
Weight	190
Hair	blond, thinning
Eyes	blue
Complexion	fair

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REFERENCES

Report of SA [redacted] dated 7/16/65, at Miami.

Los Angeles letter to Miami, 7/20/65.
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At Miami, Florida:

1. Will conduct appropriate investigation re activities and associates of subject.

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A. [redacted] is acting as an agent for three Americans who are seeking to buy pistols, explosives, blasting caps, hand grenades and silencers. The identity of the Americans is not known, but source believes they are members of a John Birch extremist group or the Ku Klux Klan. (S) (U)

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B. [redacted] purchased [redacted] hand grenades (U.S., Mk. II) from [redacted] who resides at [redacted] for delivery to the Americans. [redacted] paid [redacted] for the grenades; however, [redacted] only delivered [redacted] consequently, asked [redacted] to go to [redacted] and either pick up the other [redacted] grenades or the [redacted] in cash they represent. If [redacted] received any grenades, he was to deliver them to an attendant at [redacted] gas station at [redacted] The attendant would then give them to [redacted] or to one of the Americans. (S) (U)

C. A person named [redacted] is to obtain [redacted] of Pentolite for delivery to [redacted] for [redacted] (S) (U)

D. A person named [redacted] sold [redacted] silencers to the Americans for [redacted] (S) (U) (U)

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E. Source observed the Americans briefly talking to [redacted] and described the Americans as follows: (S) (S) (U)

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(1) One of them appeared to be approximately 45 years old, 6 feet tall, 200 pounds, tough looking and had white hair. Source believed him to be a friend of [redacted] and probably not a member of the sponsoring group, but probably the contact man between the group and [redacted] (S) (S) (U)

(2) The second appeared to be approximately 35 to 40 years old, 190 pounds, 6 feet 1 inch in height and blond with thin hair in front. This man appeared to be the boss, for he carried the money for the group and disbursed it, all in $100 bills. He was driving a 1965 Oldsmobile 98, [redacted] four-door sedan, license plate Florida [redacted] (S) (S) (U)

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MM T-1 is [redacted]
MM T-2 is [redacted] U. S. Departmental Attorney, Washington, D. C.
MM T-3 is [redacted]

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Report of: [redacted] Office: Miami, Florida
Date: 8/10/65

Field Office File #: 92-726 Bureau File #: 92-6692

Title: FRANK LANG "LEFTY" ROSENTHAL

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Synopsis:

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FRANK ROSENTHAL resides at 2123 N. E. 122nd St., Miami, Fla. Source advised that [redacted] According to a source, ownership of Multiple Sports News Service involves ROSENTHAL, DAVEY YARAS, MIKE COPPOLA and unknown individual. Subject had reservations for EAL Flight 72 to Chicago, Ill. on 7/26/65. ROSENTHAL in contact with source in Los Angeles, Calif. on instructions of GIL BECKLEY. Subject observed in Miami with RICHARD PEARSON, Miami jewel thief. Long distance calls set forth. 7/A. 7/A.

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DETAILS:

At Miami, Florida:

BACKGROUND INFORMATION

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FRANK ROSENTHAL resides at 2123 N. E. 122nd Street, Miami, Florida, with [redacted]

On July 26, 1965, MM T-1 advised that [redacted] was contemplating a divorce [redacted] on grounds of incompatibility. Source stated [redacted] would

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not contest the divorce action. ROSENTHAL drives a 1964 light blue Oldsmobile bearing 1965 Florida license [redacted] The license is registered to [redacted] above address.

GENERAL ACTIVITIES

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From July 19 through July 27, 1965, a [redacted] was observed in front of the residence of FRANK ROSENTHAL. This vehicle had 1965 Florida license [redacted]

A check of appropriate records at the Dade County Tag Agency reflected this car registered to [redacted] It is noted that [redacted] an associate of Miami jewel thieves, [redacted] above-named registrant.

On July 26, 1965, [redacted] Eastern Airlines, Miami, advised after a check of records for Eastern Airlines Flight #72, that subject was a passenger on this flight. This flight left Miami at 6:00 P. M., arriving Chicago, Illinois, 8:59 P. M.

On July 26, 1965, MM T-1 advised that several [redacted] traveled to [redacted] for a short social visit.

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Source also advised that ROSENTHAL was supposed to go to Chicago, Illinois, on this date, although the duration and purpose of the trip were not known to source.

Source advised on July 22, 1965, she had observed during the early morning hours, FRANK ROSENTHAL and an individual she believed to be RICHARD PEARSON (Miami TJT), in front of the Harbor Towers. It is noted that at 7:00 A. M., on July 22, 1965, RICHARD PEARSON was arrested at the Greyhound Bus Terminal, Miami, with a large amount of jewelry stolen from Jordan Marsh Department Store.

On August 3 and August 5, 1965, [redacted] JOSEPH NESLINE) was observed at the residence of FRANK ROSENTHAL.

On August 4 and August 9, 1965, FRANK ROSENTHAL was observed at his business address, 1090 N. E. 79th Street, which is the location of Multiple Sports News Service.

BUSINESS INTERESTS

Subject continues to operate as the sports consultant for Multiple Sports News Service, 1090 N. E. 79th Street, Miami. This "service" is currently providing "line" and related information concerning major league baseball and professional exhibition football games.

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Employees of the "service" include STANLEY GREEN, President; MORTON KAUFMAN, handicapper and [redacted]

On July 2, 1965, MM T-2 advised that he received information from a source known to him that FRANK "LEFTY" ROSENTHAL sets the "line" throughout the country for baseball.

Source advised that [redacted] is set up as follows:

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ASSOCIATES

JOSEPH NESLINE

Investigation conducted reflects that NESLINE was in Washington, D. C., from July 4 through July 19, 1965. From July 23 through July 30, 1965, NESLINE was observed at the residence of [redacted] who resides at [redacted]

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JOSEPH NESLINE, as of August 5, 1965, was occupying a room at the International Inn, Washington, D. C.

SIDNEY ROSENTHAL

ROSENTHAL resides at 1042 Venetian Way, Miami Beach, Florida. He drives a 1964 yellow Falcon bearing 1965 Florida license 1D-51853. This license is registered to [redacted] at the above address.

ROSENTHAL is seen on a daily basis at Dade Wholesale Importers, 372 N. E. 61st Street, Miami, and there is indication that he and subject are close associates in fields other than gambling. b6 b7C

ELLIOTT PAUL PRICE:
[redacted]

PRICE and [redacted] have not been seen in the Miami area during the period of this report.

LOCAL COURT ACTION

On August 2, 1965, it was ascertained from the State Attorney's office, 1351 N. W. 12th Street, that Chief Metro Court Prosecutor, [redacted] will be on vacation until August 26, 1965.

At Los Angeles, California:

On July 13, 1965, MM T-3 advised that [redacted] he was [redacted] FRANK ROSENTHAL, who was [redacted] the Los Angeles, area. b7D

ROSENTHAL advised source that he was [redacted] by GIL BECKLEY and ROSENTHAL wanted to [redacted] in Los Angeles. ROSENTHAL advised source that he was in town for the express purpose of appearing as a witness in the CHARLES KATZ case. ROSENTHAL asked source whom he should get to represent him in this court matter.

At Chicago, Illinois:

On June 10, 1965, [redacted] was contacted regarding the identities of [redacted] He stated that [redacted] had a bar across the street from the Sheraton Hotel and that [redacted] had apparently left Chicago. b6 b7C

On July 16, 1965, inquiries were made at "The Interval", "David's Pub" and "Boul Mick", the only bars near the Sheraton. The bartenders all advised that the names [redacted] were unknown to them. b6 b7C

[redacted] CONTACTS

It has previously been reported that FRANK ROSENTHAL is [redacted] b7D

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Date 8/10/65

The records of [redacted] b7D

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On 8/10/65 at Miami, Florida File # Miami 92-726

by IC [redacted]gr Date dictated 8/10/65 b6 b7C

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In Reply, Please Refer to
File No. 92-726

Miami, Florida
August 10, 1965

Title FRANK IANG "LEFTY" ROSENTHAL, aka.

Character ANTI-RACKETEERING;
INTERSTATE GAMBLING ACTIVITIES

Reference is made to report of SA [redacted] b6 b7C
[redacted] dated and captioned as above, at Miami, Florida.

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FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION

In Reply, Please Refer to
File No. 92-726

Miami, Florida
August 10, 1965

Re: FRANK LANG "LEFTY" ROSENTHAL

Reference is made to the report of Special Agent [redacted] dated and captioned as above at Miami. b6 b7C

The following is a characterization of the informants utilized in the above-referenced report:

MM T-1 is an individual who is associated with certain members of the hoodlum and gambling element in the Miami area.

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MM T-3 is an individual who is acquainted with gambling figures in the Los Angeles area and their nationwide associates.

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MIAMI	MIAMI	9/9/65	7/16 - 9/7/65

TITLE OF CASE

FRANK LANG "LEFTY" ROSENTHAL, aka.

REPORT MADE BY [redacted] TYPED BY ed

CHARACTER OF CASE

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REFERENCES

Report of SA [redacted] dated 8/10/65, at Miami.

Miami airtel to Bureau, 8/11/65.
Bureau letter to Miami, 8/11/65.
Miami letter to Chicago, 8/12/65.
Los Angeles letter to Miami, 8/23/65.
Chicago letter to Miami, 8/30/65.

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ENCLOSURES TO BUREAU (2):

Enclosed for the Bureau are two copies of a Letterhead Memorandum characterizing informants.

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At Miami, Florida:

1. Will follow activities of subject.

2. Will maintain contact with [redacted] b3

ADMINISTRATIVE

On August 11, 1965, Bureau requested that U. S. Secret Service be advised of activities of FRANK ROSENTHAL in regard to buying arms from Cubans. Request was that category 3 be specified in communication to Secret Service.

On August 16, 1965, information was furnished U. S. Secret Service in regard to activities of FRANK ROSENTHAL, inasmuch as his background is potentially dangerous in regard to the protection of the President of the United States.

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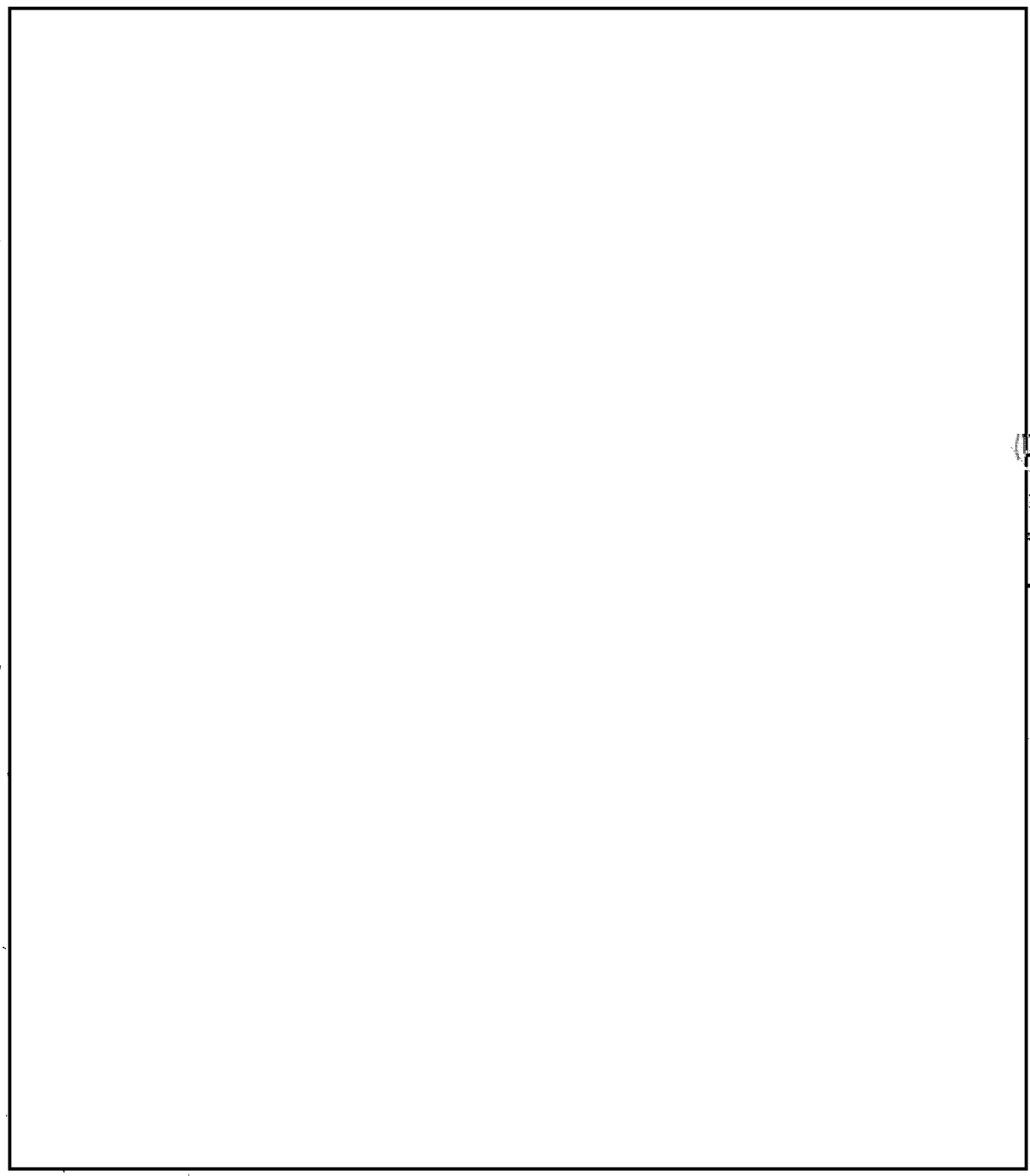

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INFORMANTS

MM T-1 is [redacted] b6 b7C b7D
MM T-2 is [redacted]
MM T-3 is [redacted] U. S. Departmental Attorney, Washington, D. C.

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FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION

Copy to: 1 - United States Attorney, Miami, Florida

Report of: [redacted] Office: Miami, Florida
Date: 9/9/65

Field Office File #: 92-726 Bureau File #: 92-6692

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Title: FRANK IANG "LEFTY" ROSENTHAL

Character: ANTI-RACKETEERING;
INTERSTATE GAMBLING ACTIVITIES

Synopsis:

ROSENTHAL resides at 2123 N. E. 122nd St., Miami, Fla. Source stated that subject and wife separated. Source advised that ROSENTHAL and CHARLES WHITE were trying to buy boat for shipments of articles to Venezuela. ROSENTHAL continues association with Multiple Sports News Service. ROSENTHAL and [redacted] flew to Chicago on 8/17 and 8/18/65, respectively, and returned to Miami on 8/24/65. Subject continues contact with [redacted] and SIDNEY ROSENTHAL, Miami.

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DETAILS:

At Miami, Florida:

BACKGROUND INFORMATION

FRANK ROSENTHAL resides at 2123 N. E. 122nd St., Miami, Florida.

ROSENTHAL drives a 1964 light blue Oldsmobile bearing 1965 Florida license [redacted] This license is registered to [redacted] at the above address. b6 b7C

On September 3, 1965, [redacted] was observed still residing at the above address with [redacted]

On August 6, 1965, MM T-1 advised SA [redacted] that [redacted] continues almost daily association with [redacted] and "LEFTY" ROSENTHAL.

On August 20, 1965, MM T-2 advised that FRANK and [redacted] were now [redacted] was living [redacted]

Source stated that although [redacted] FRANK and [redacted] had recently gone to Chicago, Illinois, though duration and purpose of trip were unknown to source. b6 b7C b7D

On August 23, 1965, [redacted] was observed at the residence of captioned subject. He appeared to be making a check of the premises and also of subject's car, which was observed in the driveway.

In front of ROSENTHAL's residence was observed a 1965 Fiat station wagon bearing Florida 1965 license [redacted]

A check of appropriate records at the Dade County Tag Agency reflects the above license registered to [redacted]

Spot checks conducted at the residence of ROSENTHAL reflects his presence from August 25 through September 7, 1965.

On September 7, 1965, MM T-3 advised that he had heard from a reliable source that FRANK ROSENTHAL and CHARLES WHITE, also known as CHARLES TOURINE, had been in contact with unknown individuals regarding the acquisition of a boat. The purported use of this boat was to ship articles to Venezuela, although it was the opinion of the source that they were, in fact, trying to obtain this boat [redacted] b7D

BUSINESS INTERESTS

ROSENTHAL continues to operate as the sports consultant for Multiple Sports News Service located at 1090 N. E. 79th Street, Miami, Fla. This business enterprise furnishes on a daily basis "line" information in regard to professional football and baseball and college football games.

Other employees of the "service" include STANLEY GREEN, President, and MORTON KAUFMAN, handicapper.

ASSOCIATES

JOSEPH NESLINE

NESLINE has been observed in the month of September, 1965, residing with [redacted] b6 b7C Subject has not been seen with NESLINE during the period of this report.

SIDNEY ROSENTHAL

ROSENTHAL resides at 1042 Venetian Way, Miami Beach, Florida. He drives a 1964 yellow Falcon bearing 1965 Florida license 1D-51853.

ROSENTHAL works in some capacity at Dade Wholesaler Importers, 372 N. E. 61st Street, Miami.

On August 25, 1965, the FBI Identification Division made available the identification record of SIDNEY ROSENTHAL, FBI No. 484-780 C, as set forth below:

Contributor of Fingerprints	Name and Number	Arrested or Received	Charge	Disposition
PD NY NY	SIDNEY ROSENTHAL #B 110393	4 5-24-43	GL (checks)	
PD NY NY	SIDNEY ROSENTHAL #110393	2-17-57	fel aslt & DC	
PD Miami Beach Fla	SIDNEY H ROSENTHAL #C-260119	appl FP 6-5-57		
Pub Safety Dept Miami Fla	SIDNEY H ROSENTHAL #61469	3-17-62	(1) beverage vio (2) improper passing	1 $25 fn in absentia 2 $10 & $5 or 2 das

A [redacted] bearing 1965 Florida license [redacted] was observed in front of the Dade Wholesale Importers, 372 N. E. 64th Street, Miami.

A check of appropriate records in Dade County Tag Agency reflects license registered to [redacted] b6 b7C [redacted] Miami.

ELLIOTT PAUL PRICE: Fla

[redacted] Fla

PRICE and [redacted] not observed in the Miami area during the period of this report.

TRAVEL

At Beverly Hills, California:

On July 16, 1965, [redacted] Beverly Hilton Hotel, Beverly Hills, California, advised SA [redacted] as follows:

FRANK ROSENTHAL registered at this hotel without a prior registration on May 18, 1965, at 2:49 A. M. He occupied Room 311, and departed at 5:00 P. M., the same date, May 18, 1965. He gave as his residence address 2123 N. E. 122nd Street, Miami, Florida. ROSENTHAL was accompanied by one [redacted] who occupied room [redacted] gave his residence address as [redacted] Miami Beach, Florida.

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[redacted] advised that ROSENTHAL placed the following telephone calls:

Los Angeles 688-2423
Miami 754-6321
Miami 754-0637

After ROSENTHAL had checked out of the hotel on May 18, 1965, he received one collect call which was not completed. The call was from [redacted] (LNU) from Chicago, with telephone number [redacted].

At Chicago, Illinois:

Sgt. [redacted] Criminal Intelligence Unit, Chicago Police Department, on August 27, 1965, advised his unit's records fail to reveal any additional information concerning the subject. [redacted] stated that Sgt. [redacted] handles this particular matter for the unit, and that [redacted] is on leave until September 30, 1965.

Det. [redacted] Continental Plaza Hotel, 909 North Michigan, contacted on August 27, 1965, advised that one of the security staff told him in late July, 1965, that ROSENTHAL attempted to register at the hotel at 10:00 P. M., around July 25 - 28, 1965. The hotel was completely filled due to a convention and ROSENTHAL was turned away without being referred to another hotel. [redacted] said that he was surprised that ROSENTHAL would come back to the Continental Plaza Hotel, since ROSENTHAL knew that during his last stay there in June, 1965, the Chicago Police Department completely covered his activities and contacts. [redacted] further advised that someone connected with either the Police Department or the hotel may know where the subject ultimately registered, and he would make appropriate inquiries in this regard. b6 b7C

On August 26, 1965, [redacted] Eastern Airlines Reservations, Miami, Florida, made available the following information regarding ROSENTHAL:

1. ROSENTHAL flew to Chicago on August 17, 1965 via Eastern Airlines Flight 72Y.

2. [redacted] flew to Chicago on August 18, 1965, via Eastern Airlines Flight 460Y.

3. Subject [redacted] flew from Chicago to Miami on August 24, 1965, via Eastern Airlines Flight 463.

[redacted] CONTACTS

It has previously been reported that FRANK ROSENTHAL is [redacted] b7D

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FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION

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Date August 20, 1965

The records of [redacted] b7D

[redacted]

On 8/16/65 at Miami, Florida File # Miami 92-726

by IC [redacted] rm Date dictated 8/16/65 b6 b7C

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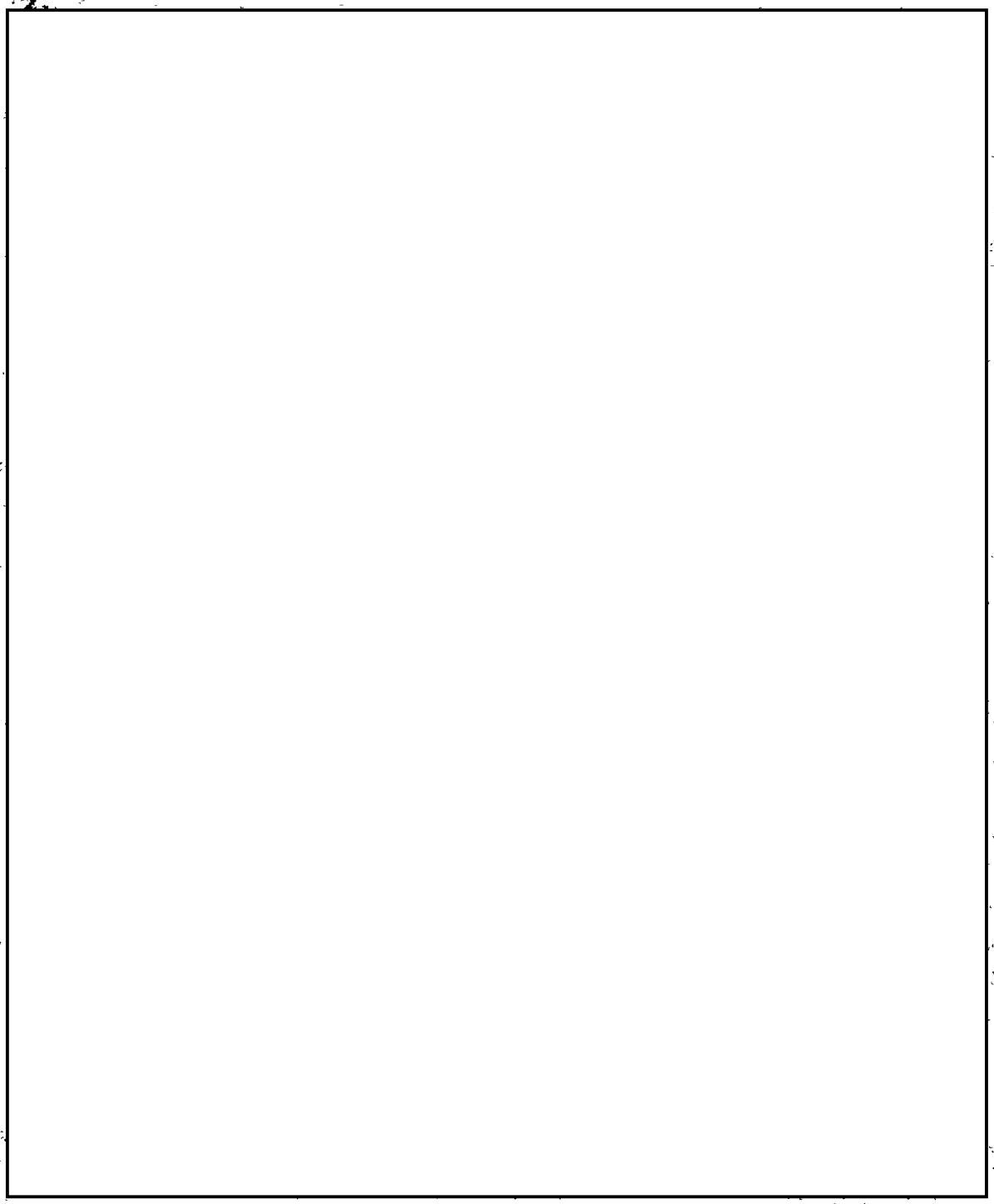

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FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION

In Reply, Please Refer to File No.

Miami, Florida
September 9, 1965

Title FRANK IANG "LEFTY" ROSENTHAL, aka.

Character ANTI-RACKETEERING;
INTERSTATE GAMBLING ACTIVITIES

Reference is made to report of SA [redacted] dated and captioned as above at Miami, Florida

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In Reply, Please Refer to File No.

Miami, Florida
September 9, 1965

Re: FRANK IANG "LEFTY" ROSENTHAL, aka.

Reference is made to report of SA [redacted] b6 b7C dated and captioned as above, at Miami, Florida.

The following is a characterization of the informants utilized in referenced report.

MM T-1 is an individual who, because of her employment, is in contact with certain members of the criminal element.

MM T-2 is an individual who is associated with certain members of the hoodlum and gambling element in the Miami area.

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UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

Memorandum

TO : DIRECTOR, FBI

DATE: 9/30/65

FROM : SAC, MIAMI (92-726) (P)

SUBJECT: FRANK LANG "LEFTY" ROSENTHAL
AR; IGA

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CC TO Customs Station
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ANS. BY: BJB

Re Miami airtel and LHM 7/29/65.

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(1 - 105-1891)
(1 - [redacted]
(1 - 105-8922) [redacted]
(1 - [redacted]
(1 - 105-10383) [redacted]
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MM T-1 is [redacted] b3

MM T-2 is [redacted]

MM T-3 is [redacted] b7D

MM T-4 is [redacted]

[redacted] b3

Miami will make further efforts to establish the identity of ROSENTHAL's two companions and ascertain whether he actually acquired any weapons or explosives, or disposition of same.

Miami is attempting to obtain further information concerning any possible connection between [redacted] and the MIRR, or any connection between [redacted] and the MRR with regard to the boat recently acquired by [redacted] and his companions. b6 b7C

Miami will also conduct further investigation concerning the activities of the other subjects mentioned in this case.

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Re: FRANK LANG "LEFTY" ROSENTHAL
ANTI-RACKETEERING
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INTERNAL SECURITY - CUBA

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INTERNAL SECURITY - CUBA

In July, 1965, MM T-1, [redacted] furnished information received from a source described as usually reliable, on July 22, 1965, reflecting that three Americans were seeking to buy pistols, blasting caps, hand grenades, and silencers. Contacts had been made by these Americans with [redacted]

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One of the Americans involved in these purchases was observed by the source of MM T-1 driving a 1965 Oldsmobile "98" bearing 1965 Florida License [redacted] b6 b7C

Subsequent investigation reflected that the automobile bearing this license is habitually driven by FRANK LANG "LEFTY" ROSENTHAL, 2123 N. E. 122nd Street, North Miami. The car is registered in the name of [redacted] Previous investigation has reflected that ROSENTHAL is a sports handicapper for the Multiple Sports News Service, 1090 N. E. 79th Street, Miami. He has the reputation of being a gambler and a hoodlum, and is associated with other hoodlums and jewel thieves in the Miami area.

CURRENT INVESTIGATION

On September 2, 1965, MM T-1, who had been supplied with photographs of some of the known friends and associates of ROSENTHAL, advised that MM T-1's source had been unable to identify any of these photographs as being either of the two Americans who were observed with ROSENTHAL in making contacts with the above-described Cubans. MM T-1 advised that its source had been unable to obtain any additional information concerning this matter.

On August 13, 1965, MM T-1 reported that one of the Americans with ROSENTHAL had indicated that he was then on probation for a weapons violation.

MM T-1 stated that its source had identified a photograph of FRANK LANG "LEFTY" ROSENTHAL as being identical to the individual observed driving the Oldsmobile bearing 1965 Florida License [redacted] MM T-1's source also reported that [redacted] is identical to [redacted] b6 b7C b7D

On September 17, 1965, MM T-2, a Cuban exile who has a wide acquaintance in the Cuban exile community of Miami,

reported that [redacted] disclosed he had some sort of an interest in a boat which is registered in the name of another individual who was afraid to have his name continued as the registered owner of this boat. MM T-2 suspected that [redacted] planned to use this boat for some sort of clandestine revolutionary operation, since [redacted] is known to MM T-2 as being a rather daring, action-type Cuban who has been previously involved in revolutionary matters. b6 b7C b7D

On September 22, 1965, [redacted] Seabird Boat Manufacturing Company, Hialeah, Florida, advised that in June, 1965, three or four Cubans purchased a twenty-three-foot Seabird with 2 100 h. p. Mercruiser motors. He recalled that one of these Cubans was named [redacted], but that the purchase was in the name of [redacted] The purchasers were referred to the Barracuda Boat Sales Company of Hallandale, which is a retail outlet for boats manufactured by the Seabird Boat Manufacturing Company. [redacted] advised that this boat had been observed by him at Pelican Harbor, 79th Street Causeway, Miami. b6 b7C

On September 22, 1965, [redacted] of the Pelican Harbor Yacht Club, Inc., reported on July 5, 1965, that [redacted] brought to the Pelican Harbor Yacht Club a twenty-three-foot blue Seabird with Florida Registration [redacted] bearing the name [redacted] gave his residence as [redacted] Miami. The boat was removed from Pelican Harbor and has not been returned.

On September 17, 1965, MM T-2 said that [redacted] is acquainted with [redacted] an anti-CASTRO organization known as the Movimiento Insurrecional de Recuperacion Revolucionaria (MIRR), and that one of [redacted] friends, a mulatto, had been observed by MM T-2 in the office of the MIRR in Miami on at least one occasion. MM T-2 said that members of the MIRR have been making plans for a raid against Cuba, and allegedly possess some armaments, such as b6 b7C b7D

.57 mm. recoilless rifles, which would be suitable for mounting on a boat. However, MM T-2 was unable to determine if the MIRR has a joint interest with [redacted] in any kind of boat.

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On July 30, 1965, MM T-3, who possesses an extensive knowledge concerning Cuban exiles in the Miami area, advised that [redacted] is now connected with a group of people from the Movimiento de Recuperacion Revolucionaria (MRR), which is under the leadership of [redacted] Another leading member of this group is [redacted] who has been previously involved in actions directed against the CASTRO Government of Cuba. MM T-3 said that this group claims to have a boat and some arms, and will prepare to develop some type of military action in the near future.

On July 30, 1965, MM T-4, who has been closely associated with various Cuban exile groups for the past seven or eight years in the Miami area, advised that in July, 1965, [redacted] was in possession of a Stein gun equipped with a silencer. MM T-4 possessed no information reflecting any contact by [redacted] with ROSENTHAL or anyone answering the description of ROSENTHAL's two American companions.

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In Reply, Please Refer to File No. MM 105-10387

Miami, Florida
September 30, 1965

Title FRANK LANG "LEFTY" ROSENTHAL; ET AL

Character ANTI-RACKETEERING;
Reference INTERSTATE GAMBLING ACTIVITIES;
INTERNAL SECURITY - CUBA

Memorandum dated and captioned as above, at Miami, Florida.

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TITLE OF CASE

FRANK LANG "LEFTY" ROSENTHAL, aka

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REFERENCES

Report of SA [redacted] dated 9/9/65, At Miami. 9170

New York letter to Miami, dated 9/13/65.
New Orleans Letter to Miami, dated 9/14/65.
Miami letter to Baltimore, dated 9/20/65.
Los Angeles letter to Bureau, dated 9/21/65, captioned, "ORGANIZED ILLEGAL GAMBLING."
Miami airtel to Atlanta, dated 9/27/65.
Chicago letter to Miami, dated 9/27/65.
Miami airtel to New Orleans, dated 9/29/65.
Miami letter to Bureau, dated 9/30/65.

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Two copies of a letterhead memorandum characterizing informants.

LEAD

MIAMI

At Miami, Florida:

Will continue to follow activities of subject.

ADMINISTRATIVE

The period of this report exceeds ninety days inasmuch as investigation from an auxiliary office was not received prior to the last report.

On 9/2/65, [redacted] advised that [redacted] was unable to identify the photographs of JOSEPH R. MEROLA, CHARLES WHITE, STANLEY LACKOW, or SIDNEY ROSENTHAL as individuals who were observed with FRANK ROSENTHAL in making contact with Cubans [redacted] It is noted that ROSENTHAL had contacted these individuals seeking to buy pistols, blasting caps, hand grenades, and silencers. (S) (S) (U)

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[redacted] (S) (U)

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On 9/13/65, [redacted] (protect) made available the following information concerning FRANK ROSENTHAL at the U. S. Attorney's Office, Miami:

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[redacted] stated that Multiple Sports News Service was owned by ROSENTHAL, DAVE YARAS, and MIKE COPPOLA. He

also felt that JOSEPH NESLINE and CHARLES TOURINE had a part-ownership in the business. He stated that STAN GREEN was President in name only, and all orders were given by ROSENTHAL.

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According to [redacted] since 1964 ROSENTHAL has been a big bettor although he is not in a bookmaking operation.

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Miami indices are negative regarding [redacted] b6 b7C and [redacted]

Information concerning [redacted] b6 b7C b7D

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INFORMANTS

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Copy to: 1 - U. S. Attorney, Miami, Florida

Report of: [redacted] Office: Miami, Florida b6 b7C
Date: October 11, 1965

Field Office File #: 92-726 Bureau File #: 92-6692

Title: FRANK LANG "LEFTY" ROSENTHAL

Character: ANTI-RACKETEERING;
INTERSTATE GAMBLING ACTIVITIES

Synopsis:

FRANK ROSENTHAL resides at 2123 Northeast 122nd Street, Miami, Fla. Subject, on 9/11/65, refused to discuss any questions concerning [redacted] On 10/7/65, [redacted] served subpoena for FGJ to commence [redacted] b3 [redacted] ROSENTHAL stated any questions regarding Multiple Sports News Service should be directed to STAN GREEN. [redacted] holder of Federal Wagering b6 b7C Tax Stamp, now renting apartment formerly occupied by subject at Beaux Gardens Apartments, North Bay Village, Fla. Source advised 8/13/65 he feels subject is controlled by the Chicago Italian criminal element. On 6/15/65, source advised the "line" on the East Coast is formed by ROSENTHAL who works in alliance with ELLIOT PRICE and two of his Boston associates. PRICE staying at Seville Hotel, Miami Beach, Fla., since 9/15/65. Long distance calls set forth.

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DETAILS:

At Miami, Florida:

Background Information

FRANK ROSENTHAL continues to live with [redacted] at 2123 Northeast 122nd Street, Miami, Florida. b6 b7C

ROSENTHAL drives a 1964 light blue Oldsmobile, bearing 1965 Florida license [redacted]

General Activities

MM T-1 advised on August 26, 1965, that JOHN and CHRIS PROKOS are still operating a sports and horse book out of the Athens Cafe, Miami, Florida. Source was of the opinion that the PROKOS brothers do their own handicapping although secure information from "LEFTY" ROSENTHAL through Multiple Sports News Service.

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[redacted] was interviewed at his residence. He was advised that he did not have to make any statement, and that any statement he did make could be used against him in a court of law. He was further advised of his right to counsel, that no threats, promises or duress would be made during the course of the interview.

[redacted] was advised at the outset of the interview that the purpose of this conversation would be [redacted] He was further advised that in the near future a Federal Grand Jury would be held in Miami concerning [redacted] b3

He was asked if he ever [redacted] declined to answer these questions but interjected that no living person can or will say that he [redacted]

[redacted] was asked if he were a friend of RICHARD PEARSON. He stated that PEARSON was a friend of his, adding that he had several hundred individuals in the same category. He stated that [redacted] was an acquaintance of his. He declined to answer any questions concerning PEARSON's involvement or knowledge of [redacted] He stated that PEARSON's business was his own, and any questions concerning him would have to be directed to PEARSON.

[redacted] was asked about the circumstances surrounding a meeting held at the Morton Building several months ago between [redacted] and [redacted] would make no comment about this meeting other than the fact that the FBI should contact the other parties involved, as they are more "on your side than I am." b6 b7C

[redacted] was asked if he had ever been approached

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SAs [redacted] and [redacted]

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by anyone concerning [redacted] stated that the FBI in their investigation no doubt would establish if he had been contacted by some individual or individuals in order to [redacted] He stated that it would be against his nature to get involved in such a situation as it was very evident to him that the FBI would have an extreme interest in any such arrangement. b3

[redacted] reflected that it was his opinion that a [redacted] had some doubt whether the actual money involved [redacted]

[redacted] in summation, stated that he would gladly appear before any Federal Grand Jury concerning this matter, although he was at a loss to explain why he would be considered a person that had knowledge about [redacted] ventured that he would no doubt take the Fifth Amendment at a Grand Jury proceeding, but he said he might reconsider at the time of the proceeding.

[redacted] stated on September 11, 1965, that STAN GREEN would have to answer any questions concerning the operation of Multiple Sports News Service, although he could state from his own personal knowledge that [redacted] was not fired from Multiple Sports News Service but quit due to the long hours he was putting in and the lack of money he was receiving for his work.

[redacted] would not state who the new employee was at Multiple Sports News Service.

On September 14, 1965, SAs [redacted] and [redacted] observed [redacted] at 10:58 p.m. conversing with a white male. Also parked in front of [redacted] residence was a 1964 [redacted] bearing 1965 Florida license [redacted]. The above license is registered to [redacted] Miami Beach, Florida.

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On September 15, 1965, a late-model white Comet, bearing 1965 Maryland license EV-1288, was observed in front of [redacted] residence.

On September 17, 1965, SAs [redacted] and [redacted] observed in front of [redacted] residence a [redacted] bearing 1965 Florida license [redacted]. This license is registered to [redacted] North Miami, Florida.

On September 19, 1965, SAs TERENCE D. DINAN and [redacted] observed [redacted] at his residence, and in front of this residence was the above-described late-model [redacted]

On September 20, 1965, SAs TERENCE D. DINAN and [redacted] observed FRANK ROSENTHAL in the parking lot of the Morton Building, 1090 Northeast 79th Street, in the company of [redacted]

On September 27, 1965, MM T-2 advised she understood SIDNEY ROSENTHAL, a close associate of subject, was currently working at the Atlanta, Georgia, Playboy Club under the name of SIDNEY HOFFMAN.

Source further advised that an individual driving a 1964 bearing 1965 Florida license was currently operating a gambling operation from Florida. b6 b7C b7D

A check of appropriate records at the Dade County Auto Tag Agency reflect the above vehicle is registered to Hialeah, Florida.

A check of the appropriate records reflect that Florida, is the holder of a Federal Wagering Tax Stamp.

On October 4, 1965, IC checked the records of the Credit Bureau of Greater Miami regarding The records, as of December 16, 1963, reflected was residing at He is a white male, presently employed as former employment former residence Hialeah, Florida. b6 b7C

On September 30, 1965, IC checked the records of the Miami Municipal Court regarding These records reflect resides and is a white male, age and place of birth New York.

was charged with the reckless or negligent operation of with no disposition shown.

On October 5, 1965, MM T-2 advised that an individual driving a bearing 1965 Florida license is evidently in his gambling operation. b6 b7C b7D

A check of appropriate records reflected this license is registered to [redacted] Miami Beach, Florida. b6 b7C

On October 7, 1965, source stated that a white female, somehow connected in the gambling operation of [redacted] is driving a [redacted] bearing 1965 Florida license [redacted] b6 b7C b7D

The above license is registered to [redacted] Miami Springs, Florida.

On October 4, 1965, ROSENTHAL was observed in the company of SIDNEY ROSENTHAL at the office of Multiple Sports News Service, 1090 Northeast 79th Street. b6 b7C

On October 7, 1965, [redacted] was served a subpoena by Deputy U. S. Marshal, Miami, to appear before a Federal Grand Jury in connection with [redacted] b3

Business Interests

ROSENTHAL continues to operate as Sports Consultant for Multiple Sports News Service, located at 1090 Northeast 79th Street, Miami.

On September 11, 1965, ROSENTHAL advised he is spending a considerable amount of time at the "Service" office in order to give to the customers the latest handicapping information available and to increase the circulation of the "Weekly Football Schedules" published by Multiple Sports News Service.

Spot checks conducted during the month of September and up to October 7, 1965, reflect that ROSENTHAL is usually at the "Service" from noon until 5:00 p.m.

Local Court Action

On October 1, 1965, Chief Metro Court Prosecutor [redacted] advised that he did not know the exact date of ROSENTHAL's trial though he would immediately contact the Miami FBI Office upon ascertaining the docket date of this case.

Associates

JOSEPH NESLINE

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From September 15, through September 24, 1965, JOSEPH NESLINE and [redacted] were not observed in the Miami area.

On September 30, 1965, NESLINE was observed at the residence of [redacted] Miami.

On October 1, 1965, [redacted] was observed in the company of [redacted] and an unknown white female at her residence, [redacted]

Gillett, LA

ELLIOT PAUL PRICE

PRICE has been residing since September 15, 1965, at the Seville Hotel, Miami Beach, Florida.

During the time of PRICE's stay in Miami, he has not been observed in the company of ROSENTHAL.

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[redacted] has not been observed in the Miami area during the period of this report.

At New York, New York:

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The above information is not to be made public except in the usual proceeding following the issuance of a subpoena duces tecum, which should be directed to [redacted]

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On 8/26/65 at New York, New York File # NY 92-3466
MM 92-726

by SA THOMAS M. DUFFIN:lor Date dictated 8/31/65

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On September 1, 1965, the records of the Credit Bureau of Greater New York, as furnished by [redacted] to IC [redacted] contained no record for [redacted] Bronx, New York. b6 b7C

On September 4, 1965, the records of the Bureau of Criminal Identification, New York City Police Department, as caused to be checked by SA AUGUST J. MICEK, revealed no criminal record regarding [redacted]

At New Orleans, Louisiana:

On August 13, 1965, MM T-3 advised SA REED W. JENSEN that in past years he has associated the expression "the curtain" as being synonymous with JERRY ZAROWITZ, also known as "The Curtain," a well-known Las Vegas gambler and fixer of sporting events. ZAROWITZ also probably has some of the best intelligence information going in betting on football.

In more recent years, source has felt that the expression "the curtain" applies to [redacted] gamblers. He feels that this [redacted] Miami, Florida. He does not know if "LEFTY" ROSENTHAL is [redacted] however, he does feel that ROSENTHAL is controlled by the Chicago Italian criminal element. b6 b7C b7D

Source said that since JERRY ZAROWITZ has recently been so busy opening his gambling casino in Las Vegas, the individual who has taken over ZAROWITZ' [redacted] a fellow by the name of [redacted] working out of Miami, Florida. Source knows nothing further concerning this person, [redacted] although it is his under-

standing that [redacted] has taken over JERRY ZAROWITZ' [redacted] for any "fixes." Source had no information that [redacted] engaged in any "fixing."

Source stated that there is also an individual called [redacted] who apparently is affiliated with [redacted] Source does not know this person, but he operates out of Miami. Either through [redacted] obtains [redacted] before it usually hits the major sports wire services.

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This was particularly emphasized just prior to the Gator Bowl Game at Florida, when some of the inside gamblers received information about [redacted] Before this information became known to the public, the smart gamblers having this information [redacted] The source, [redacted] before this information became known to the general public.

The source feels that if [redacted] is [redacted] they are undoubtedly doing it through [redacted]

Source stated he does not know the gambling figure using the code name [redacted]

At Chicago, Illinois:

On September 20, 1965, HYMAN "HYMIE THE ACE" FEINGOLD was contacted, but he could not furnish any additional information regarding the identities of [redacted] b6 b7C or [redacted]

At Los Angeles, California:

On June 15, 1965, MM T-4 advised that he learned the "line" today is formed on the East Coast by FRANK "LEFTY" ROSENTHAL at Miami, Florida, who works in alliance with ELLIOT PAUL PRICE and two of his associates in Boston, named [redacted] Source learned that the handicappers for the above-named individuals formed the "line" for all sports. Prior to its distribution nationally, it is first given to a group of handicappers, who bet into it in order to firm up the "line."

Source continued that after the "line" is firmed up, Multiple Sports, operated by "LEFTY" ROSENTHAL, distributes the "line" to [redacted] b6 b7C b7D sends [redacted] SAM MINKUS in Chicago, Illinois; [redacted] in Washington, D. C.; and [redacted]

In return for furnishing them the "line," he then takes their extra layoffs and returns them to the original syndicate operated by ELLIOT PAUL PRICE and ROSENTHAL.

Source continued that [redacted] is supposedly [redacted] PRICE and ROSENTHAL. [redacted] in addition to [redacted]

At Hollywood, Florida:

The following investigation was conducted by SA JAMES J. KEARNEY:

The Cross Directory for the City of Hollywood reflected the following subscribers to the below-listed telephone numbers:

[redacted] [redacted]
Hollywood, Florida

923-8111 Diplomat Hotel
South Ocean Drive
Hollywood, Florida

[redacted] [redacted]
Hollywood, Florida

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Detective [redacted] Hollywood Police Department, advised on October 5, 1965, that [redacted] is a [redacted] an old racketeer now deceased, one POTATOES KAUFMAN. [redacted] with MEYER LANSKY, well-known top hoodlum in the Miami area, and is regarded as [redacted]

The Diplomat Hotel is a large luxury resort hotel in Hollywood.

Detective [redacted] advised that his records reflect two traffic citations for [redacted] on May 24, 1964, and August 28, 1964. He is described as a white male, date of birth [redacted] residing at [redacted] Hollywood. There is a notation in the file that [redacted] an associate of [redacted] all well-known thieves and burglars in the Miami area.

[redacted] Hollywood Credit Bureau, advised on October 6, 1965, that her records reflect [redacted] Hollywood, to be [redacted] income over $30,000 yearly. He also [redacted] is an associate of one [redacted] There was no other information on file at Fort Lauderdale, Florida.

The Cross Directory reflects the following subscribers to the below-listed telephone numbers: b6 b7C

[redacted]

[redacted]
Fort Lauderdale, Florida

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Broward County Courthouse
Fort Lauderdale, Florida.

[redacted] Broward County Credit Bureau, Fort Lauderdale, Florida; Lieutenant [redacted] Fort Lauderdale Police Department; and [redacted] Broward County Sheriff's Office, all advised on October 6, 1965, that their records were negative regarding [redacted]

[redacted] Contacts b7D

It has been previously reported that FRANK ROSENTHAL is [redacted]

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On 10/5/65 at Miami, Florida File # MM 92-726

by IC [redacted] :me Date dictated 10/6/65 b6 b7C

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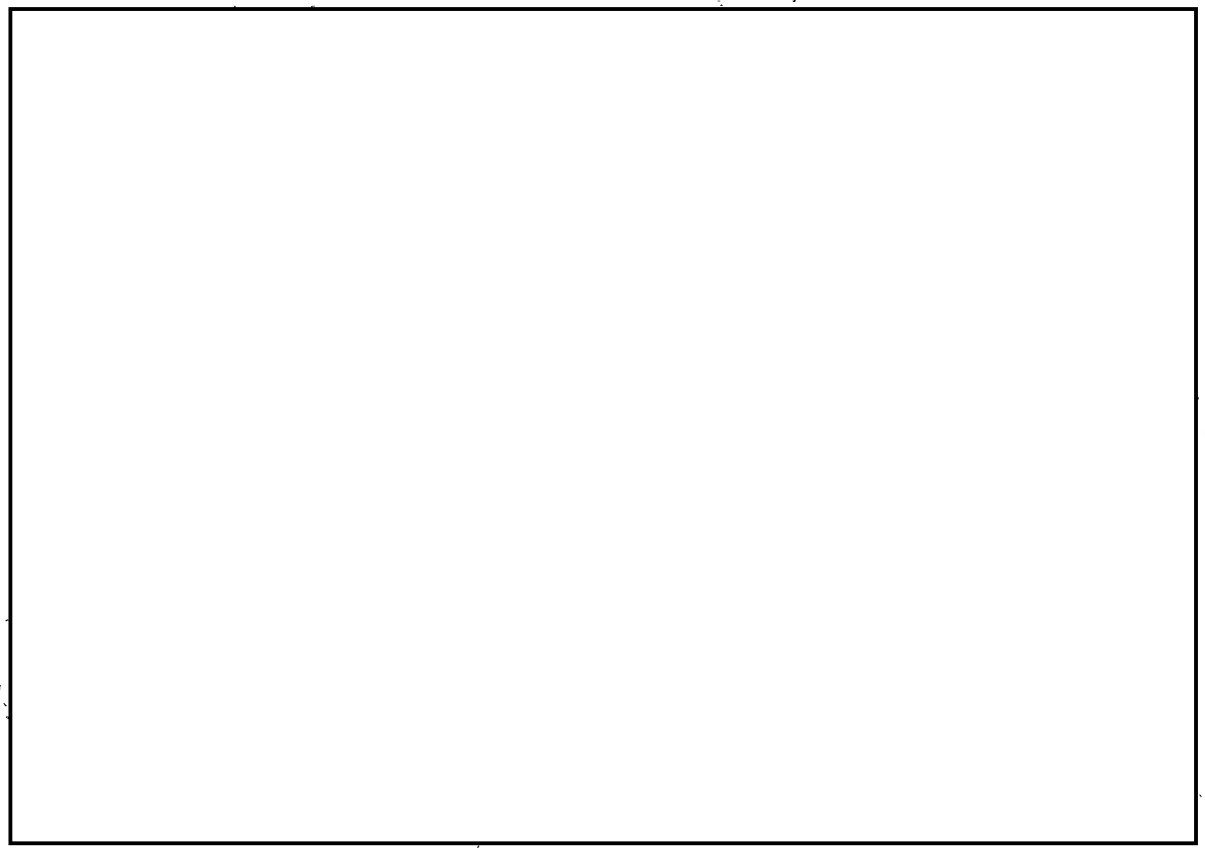

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In Reply, Please Refer to File No.

Miami, Florida
October 11, 1965

Title FRANK LANG "LEFTY" ROSENTHAL

Character ANTI-RACKETEERING;
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Reference Report of Special Agent [redacted] b6 b7C
[redacted] dated and captioned as above, at Miami, Florida.

All sources (except any listed below) whose identities are concealed in referenced communication have furnished reliable information in the past.

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Miami, Florida
October 11, 1965

Re: FRANK LANG "LEFTY" ROSENTHAL
ANTI-RACKETEERING;
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Reference is made to the report of Special Agent [redacted] dated and captioned as above, at Miami.

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The following is a characterization of the informants utilized in referenced report:

MM T-1 is an individual who is acquainted with gamblers and hoodlums in the Miami area.

MM T-2 is an individual who is associated with certain members of the hoodlum and gambling element in the Miami area.

MM T-3 is an individual familiar with gamblers and bookmakers on a nationwide basis.

MM T-4 is an individual knowledgeable with regard to sports handicappers and gambling figures throughout the country.

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Miami, Florida

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RE: GILBERT LEE BECKLEY
ANTI-RACKETEERING

Reference is made to the report of Special Agent [redacted] dated and captioned as above, at Miami, Florida. b6 b7C

The following is a characterization of the informants utilized in the above-referenced report.

MM T-1 is an individual who is a gambler of long standing and who has national connections with respect to sports betting.

MM T-2 is an individual who has knowledge of gambling activities.

MM T-3 is an individual having knowledge of hoodlum activities in Nevada.

MM T-4 is an individual having knowledge of some of the activities of hoodlums in this country.

MM T-5 is an individual having knowledge with respect to sports handicappers and gambling figures throughout the country.

MM T-6 is an individual familiar with gamblers, bookmakers, etc., on a nation-wide basis.

MM T-7 is an individual familiar with gamblers in the New York area.

MM T-8 is an individual who associates with gamblers and who has knowledge of their activities.

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RE: GILBERT LEE BECKLEY

MM T-9 is a businessman whose activities bring him in contact with the criminal element in the Miami area.

MM T-10 is an individual familiar with gambling activities in the Miami area.

MM T-11 is a businessman who frequently has contact with the hoodlum element.

MM T-12 is an individual who is familiar with gambling activities on a nation-wide basis.

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